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## Re: REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Inventor(s) : Se-Youn Lim et al.  
Assignor(s) : Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.  
Title : METHOD OF CONTROLLING LOOP-BACK  
PROCESS IN ETHERNET PASSIVE  
OPTICAL NETWORK  
Serial No. : 10/650,580  
Filed : August 28, 2003  
Docket No. : 5000-1-448

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby request that a corrected Formal Filing Receipt be issued to correct the applicant's fourth inventor (Jin-Hee Kim)'s citizenship.

Please correct applicant's fourth inventor (Jin-Hee Kim)'s citizenship from  
[ Republic of Korea ] to

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as it appears on the Declaration, copy enclosed.

Also included is a copy of a Submission for Substitute Declaration that we originally filed with the USPTO on December 17, 2003, and which was stamped by the USPTO's O.I.P.E. on December 19, 2003.

A copy of the filing receipt with the requested correction is enclosed.

Applicants accordingly request that the records of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office be corrected to reflect the fourth inventor (Jin-Hee Kim)'s citizenship and that a corrected Formal Filing Receipt be issued.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**METHOD OF CONTROLLING LOOP-BACK PROCESS IN ETHERNET****PASSIVE OPTICAL NETWORK**

,the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulation, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)

<u>2003-145</u> (Number)	<u>Republic of Korea</u> (Country)	<u>02/01/2003</u> (Day/Month/Year Filed)	Priority Claimed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of the Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulation, §1.56 which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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Foreign Applications

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The country code and number of your priority application, to be used for filing abroad under the Paris Convention, is **US 10/650,580**

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**Title**

Method of controlling loop-back process in ethernet passive optical network

**Preliminary Class**

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Based on KPA No.	:	2003-145	KPA Filing Date: January 2, 2003
Serial No.	:	10/650,580	
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Your Ref.	:	P11175-US/ST/khs	
Our Ref.	:	5000-1-448	

**SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE DECLARATION**

Sir:


Please be informed that the citizenship of the inventor, Jin-Hee KIM was mistyped in the executed Declaration filed with the application on August 28, 2003. The citizenship of Jin-Hee Kim is not Republic of Korea but U.S.A.. Accordingly, we herewith enclose a newly executed Declaration in which the citizenship of Jin-Hee Kim is corrected to the U.S.A.

Please issue a Filing Receipt reflecting the correct citizenship.

Applicant hereby authorizes that any charges relating to the processing of the present Application may be charged to Deposit Account No. 502-470.

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